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Dear Mr. Furgurson,

I certainly want to thank you for hosting me at the Gridiron last Saturday. I apologize for not making contact with you there. I checked the seating arrangement and found that you were at "Table A." Unfortunately, my code-breaking ability was not up to the situation! I couldn't find a "Table A." I assume, therefore, you must have been at the star performers' table, wherever it was.

Again though, I do thank you for a most delightful and entertaining evening. With warmest regards.

Yours sincerely

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